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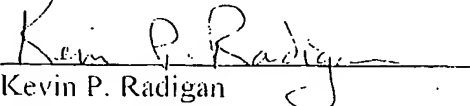
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312, consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested. Allowed claims 1-29 remain pending in this application. This Amendment is pursuant to a Patent Office request to provide updated information in paragraphs [0048] to [0050].

This Amendment proposes minor updates to specification paragraphs [0048] to [0050]. These updates are minor and do not require any substantial amount of additional work on the part of the Patent and Trademark Office. No additional search or examination of the claims is required or needs to be performed. Further, the scope of the allowed claims is not changed by these specification Amendments.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully request that the above-described Amendment be entered.

If a telephone conference would be of assistance in advancing this application, Applicants' undersigned attorney is available at the number provided below.

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